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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:) Examiner: W.Watkins III
BAKKER, ET AL.)
Serial No.: 08/977,374)
Filed: November 24, 1997)
For: DEVICE FOR HEAT)
SHRINKING FILM ONTO AN)
OPEN-TOPPED CONTAINER)
Date of Last Office Action:)
May 5, 1998)
Attorney Docket No.:) Cleveland, Ohio 44114
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The initial period for response to the outstanding Official Action, issued May 5, 1998 expired on June 5, 1998.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136 petition is hereby made for a one-month extension of time up to and including July 5, 1998

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 on June 30, 1998.

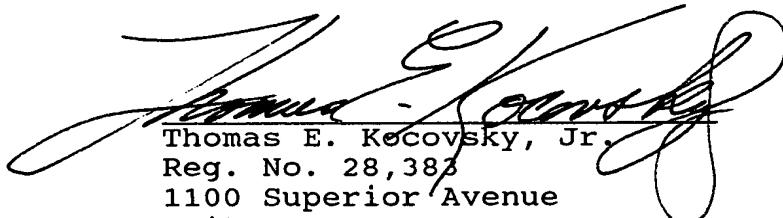
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in which to respond to the Official Action. A check in the amount of \$55.00 for the extension fee is enclosed herewith.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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